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With congratulations pouring in from all quarters of the Dominion, Old McGill smashed ahead of her financial objective to a total of \$6,321,511. Before what was probably the most representative assembly of McGill men ever held, E. W. Beatty, the hard-working chairman of the Committee, gave out the encouraging news that "McGill had gone over the top." The figures announced surpass all expectations, and coming as they do to the undergraduate body of the University, they are a mighty expression of confidence voiced by all the world that "McGill is worth backing to the limit." As our Principal stated to the workers, "It demonstrates once more the fact that Canada is true to her traditions. Canada has saved McGill, with the objective taken, and taken in time."

Additional to the fact that the amount is so encouraging, is the realization that over four thousand contributors have given with willingness to make the College take the place it should have and will have in the life of the Dominion. More than four thousand men have given McGill her impetus to the new era of her existence; more than four thousand men have backed McGill to play the important part in the life of the city and of Canada that the undergraduates of to-day mean her to play. The dollars that have materialized are a fine thing indeed, but greater and finer still is the Old McGill spirit that is looming up from all parts of the globe. Men who are rich and able to do it have given of their wealth, but the men who are less fortunate have given of their limited income—everyone has done his or her part in proportion to their ability.

Foremost among the individual items announced for the first time last evening were one million dollars from the Rockefeller Foundation towards a McGill Medical School, and two hundred thousand dollars from Commander J. K. L. Ross. The Canadian Rubber Co. made the generous contribution of \$25,000; Price Bros. donated an equal amount; and, in addition, the head of the firm, Mr. Price, showed marked generosity by an additional amount of \$25,000.

Last evening's assembly was primarily for the purpose of announcing the results. But it was likewise an occasion for an expression of gratitude and appreciation to all those whose efforts made the campaign possible. An adequate expression of thanks to the Governors was voiced in the statement that the Governors are characteristic of the undergraduate body, for they assisted in the organization, have canvassed themselves, and have been unending in their efforts to take personal responsibility that the canvas was a success. The mention of the chairman's name, according to Sir Arthur Currie, served to introduce the campaign and augur its certain success in all parts of the country that were addressed by our Principal. Canadians knew full well what would be the result of any campaign that had as its head the man who was not only the nominal but also the active head of the McGill Campaign.

The head of the local committee, Mr. Percy Cowans, was constantly lauded by all the speakers, as one of the noblest workers on the campaign line-up. As chairman of the Special Names Committee, Mr. Cowans was instrumental in turning in a very conspicuous percentage of the total amount. As important co-workers in the campaign, Messrs. Ross, Anderson and Budge, the headquarters staff, received a very sincere and deserved expression of gratitude. As Chairman of the Publicity Committee, and as the organizer in the Dominion wide publicity that was such a material boost for McGill, Lord Atholstan was thanked. Mr. J. W. McConnell, the lieutenant and co-worker with, on the Special Names Committee was mentioned as one of the great and influential spirits of the campaign.

The Ladies' Committee, the Students' team, the Graduates, the citizens of Montreal and of Canada—all of them counting units in the successful drive—these were all heartily lauded by the Chairman and the Principal.

Amongst the itemized amounts published were the following:
The Rockefeller Foundation, \$1,000,000
Commander J. K. L. Ross, 200,000
Price Bros., 25,000
Mr. Price, 25,000
Can. Rubber, 25,000
Donnacona Paper, 5,000
The Fraser Co., 5,000

M. J. O'Brien, Esq., 5,000
J. G. G. Kelly, Esq., 3,000
Senator Foster, 2,500
Ottawa Grad Society, 83,000
Toronto Grad. Society, 16,685
Dist. of Bedford, 5,130
Sherbrooke Grads., 18,762
Quebec Grads., 53,100
B. C. Grads., 66,500
N. Y. Grads., 16,300
Chicago Grads., 4,000
Minnesota Grads., 4,500
Boston Grads., 2,100
University Lodge Members, 7,500
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Mr. and Mrs. W. McMaster, 3,000
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Interesting items are:
A donation received yesterday from the Secretary of the League of Nations.

A donation of \$1150 from the House Doctors of the Montreal General Hospital, all of them as yet but internes, but game to give \$50.00 per year for Old McGill.

A Silver Fox, to be auctioned for the McGill Campaign, donated by Mr. Rodgers of Sunnyside, P.E.I., the auction to take place Friday evening.

A promise of ten dollars from a graduate in Arts in the Townships, from one to whom ten dollars was a sacrifice, but he was "a graduate of McGill, and not going to be left out."

In every case, in all parts of the world, McGill men made the McGill response in the McGill way—with big hearts and a wish to demonstrate the value McGill has been in their lives. And so, once more, Old McGill echoes back "She's all right, oh yes you bet!"

SNOWSHOERS TO PLAN PROGRAMME

Meeting Will Be Held To-night in Union.

The Snowshoeing Club is meeting this afternoon for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year and drawing up a constitution.

The club is planning a particularly active season this year, and many enthusiasts have already signified their intention of doing all in their power to make it a success.

Last year its parties proved very popular, and the invigorating tramps through the drifts in the moonlight drew a large following.

It has been suggested, and it is very probable that for future tramps the evenings will end in a little dance after the refreshments have been served. This will prove a big boon to the parties, and will certainly give them just the finishing touch to one of the most pleasant evenings possible to spend.

Everybody is reminded to be sure and get their snowshoes sent to them as soon as possible, as it is probable a tramp will be held before Xmas.

All out to-night for the meeting, as much important business will be transacted.

ADDITION TO THE LAW LIBRARY.

The announcement was made last evening of the donation to the McGill Law Library of the volumes of the late Justice Cross.

What's On

TO-DAY.

5.15 p.m.—Boxing and Wrestling practice.
5.45 p.m.—Snowshoe Club meeting at Union.
6.15 p.m.—Gym. Club work-out.
7 p.m.—Orchestra practice.
8 p.m.—Economics Club meeting.

COMING.

Nov. 26—Junior Dance.
Nov. 26—Physical Society meeting.
Nov. 26—Address to Engineering Institute.
Nov. 26—Indoor Baseball match between Law '21 and Law '23.
Dec. 3—McGill vs. M.A.A.A., Water Polo.

NOMINATIONS CALLED FOR ON COUNCIL

Faculty Representatives To Be Elected.

ELECTION DEC. 9th.

Nominations Must Be In By Nov. 30th.

Nominations for Faculty Representatives on the Students' Council are now being called for.

One representative is elected from each of the Faculties of Arts, Law, Science and Medicine.

The men must be elected from the Junior year and will serve on the Council for one year from the first day of January following their election. Nominations from each faculty, signed by at least ten members of that faculty, must be presented to the secretary of the Students' Society by noon on November 30th.

The names of the nominees must be posted on the notice boards at least a week before December 9th, when the election will take place.

Keen interest is always taken in these elections, as membership of the Students' Council is an honor to which many aspire but few achieve. Besides the representatives, the members are: the President of the Council, President of the Union, President of the "Daily," and the Presidents of the Football, Hockey and Track Clubs and of the Athletic Association. In these men is vested the administration of all the business of the Students' Society.

From the enthusiasm displayed over previous elections and nominations this year, and in view of the importance of the positions for which these men are to be elected, a very keen interest should now be aroused and class spirit called into full play.

The secretary of the Council will receive nominations at any time between now and noon of November 30. All students should make a point of seeing the names of the nominees posted in their faculties and choosing the man for whom they wish to vote.

GRAVE ACCIDENT ON NOTRE DAME

Wife, Joy-Riding, While Hubby Works, Seriously Hurt.

A serious accident occurred in the early morning about 2 a.m. on Nov. 19th, when two motor cars collided on Notre Dame Street East, near First Avenue. Both these cars contained prominent personages in Montreal society.

Apparently the fault in this accident lies with Mr. George Younger, who was driving the car, proceeding east with a party. This car was apparently suffering from defective steering gear, or else the driver was incapable for some reason or other.

In the other car, which belonged to Mrs. Curzon Dobell (nee Miss Calla Lecker), the wealthy young wife of Mr. F. C. Dobell, well-known barrister of this city, were Mrs. Dobell herself and Mrs. Erskine Nicholson (nee Miss Muriel Hayes), together with Messrs. Nicholson and Coughlin. Mrs. Dobell was driving westward at a reasonable rate of speed when the accident occurred.

Her car, a Hudson (1920 model), was very badly damaged, and Mrs. Dobell suffered considerable injury from flying glass and bruising. She is now in the hospital under the care of Dr. Henry. The other occupants of the car were able to proceed to their homes, after arranging for the care of Mrs. Dobell and the towage of the car. Apparently the car of Mr. George Younger suffered no essential damage, for he and his party drove off immediately they saw the seriousness of the accident.

It is understood that Mrs. Dobell is doing well, although she is not allowed to give an interview. Mr. Dobell appears very angry at the whole affair, and refuses to make any statements to the Press. The well-known firm of lawyers, Messrs. Biggar, Ryan and Long, who have the managing of the affairs of the injured party, have informed us that a suit is being entered against Mr. George Younger immediately for a large sum, including damages to the car and recompense for bodily injury. At the time of writing no word has been heard of Mr. Younger since this regrettable occurrence.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1920.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

This is the season of the year when outdoor sports are rapidly drawing to a close and academic work is growing more insistent in its claims. There is a strong tendency in such circumstances for students to imagine they have done their duty by themselves and by the College in participating in one of the now closing branches of athletics.

It should be remembered, however, that there are other forms of student activity, only now commencing, which are just as important from the College point of view and offer worthy returns to the individual. It is often asserted that the greatest benefits derived from a college course are obtained outside the classroom. However this may be it is certain that the various clubs and organizations, athletic, academic and social, now in existence at McGill offer great opportunities to every student to develop himself in a broad and liberal sense.

In this connection it should be remembered that you can get out of any club or society only what you are willing to put into it. In proportion as you are actively interested in it and work for its betterment you will derive benefit from it. If you merely devote the minimum of time and effort to it and work for your own exclusive interest in it, the benefit will be correspondingly small. It is only by a wholehearted interest in the organization of your choice and an enthusiastic backing of its policy and activities that any mutual benefit can be derived.

Every man owes it to himself and to the college to take up some form of student activity as his hobby during the winter months. Abundant opportunity and a wide range of choice are provided. The rest remains with you.

BASKETBALL WELL UNDER WAY NOW

Med. Sophs. Beat Med. Freshmen on Tuesday Evening.

Considering that the season for indoor baseball is just commencing, the game played on Tuesday evening at the High School Gym, between the two sophomore teams from Medicine, augurs well for the success of this branch of sport at McGill this winter. Though both teams showed lack of training, the first three innings were fast. Henry's pitching for Med. '24 was very good. Forrest, Med. '25, showed lack of training, and was replaced by Wright in the fourth inning. He returned to the box towards the end of the game, but the heavy hitting of Med. '24 was too much for him, and thirteen runs were piled up in the seven innings played by Med. '24, thus making the final score read 13 to 4 for Med. '24. Both teams showed up good material in their line-ups, and the fans can expect some good brand of ball from the teams from Medicine. As this branch of sport is now under the Amateur Athletic Association, the officials are looking to a very successful season of indoor baseball at McGill this winter.

The line-up:
Med. '24. Morris, G. D., Catcher. Walker, D. Henry, R. B., Pitcher. Forrest, G. A. Kaddy, A. A., 1b. Wright, M. A. White, G. M., 2b. Senecal, J. McLaughlin, 3b. Hill, N. P. Zinck, R. C., S.S. Lanthier, J. Elvidge, A. R., L. field. Eigenbaum, Pope, C. field. Fitzmaurice, Ross, J., R. field. Halperin, Umpire—Cocksbutt, Science '22.

Correspondence

The "Daily" is not responsible for the sentiments of letters published in the correspondence columns. Signed communications from graduates, undergraduates and members of the faculties will be placed in print if they are not of too great length. Correspondents are requested to observe the unwritten law of the newspaper office — that they write upon ONE side of the paper ONLY. No communications will be admitted in this column without the name of the writer being attached, not necessarily for PUBLICATION.

To the Editor, "McGill Daily."

Dear Sir—
It is after some hesitation that we reply to the letter signed "More Publicity," published in Tuesday's "Daily." Whether or not this letter is worthy of an answer is very doubtful. It is clear to all readers of the paper that Mr. "More Publicity" does not read his "Daily" with care or he would not make such false assertions regarding the "paucity" of R. V. C. news.

We shall not endeavor to defend the staff against his imputed charge of laziness. Here again the gentleman obviously knows not whereof he speaks. With due apologies for using valuable space to refute an opinion which we feel sure is not universally held.

Yours sincerely,
DORIS S. BARNES,
R. V. C. Editor "McGill Daily."

JUNIOR RUGBY.

It has been found impossible to arrange a play-off with the winner of the Toronto Junior League owing to the lateness of the season.

NOTICES

Members of executives and others are requested to look under this heading for notices of all festivities. Each notice is absolutely official. The Editor will not be responsible for errors in articles unless the time and date are written out in full when they are sent in.

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E. T. CLUB.

Members of the Club will please note that tickets for the dinner on the eighth of December may now be had from any member of the executive at a cost of two dollars. If possible see one of your faculty representatives at once. The sooner the tickets are disposed of the more perfectly details may be arranged.

ORCHESTRA.

As previously arranged, the Orchestra practice will be held to-night, but NOT in the Union.

Owing to the requirements of the Junior Dance, the music room in the Union will not be available, and arrangements have been made to hold the practice in the Assembly Room, Strathcona Hall.

All members are requested to attend, as very few rehearsals remain before the concert next month.

Strathcona Hall—To-night, 7 o'clock

BOXING.

There will be a practice for the beginners' class at 5.15 p.m. to-day. All boxers are asked to be out as preparations are to be made for the novice tournament.

A practice will be held for the advanced class at 8.15. All this class is asked to be out. (The class includes last year's team and all who have boxed before.) Special business will be brought before these men. All out.

The Old Country Choir of 70 voices under the direction of Prof. A. E. J. McCreary, will give selections from "The Messiah" in Erskine Church, Sunday, November 28th, at 7 p.m. Soloists: Miss Dorothy Lutton, soprano, and Mr. W. T. Napier, of Glasgow, tenor. Social hour with refreshments after the service. Students cordially invited.

WRESTLING PRACTICE.

There will be a wrestling practice in the Union at 5.15 p.m. to-day. This workout will be held in the training table room.

GYMNASTIC CLUB.

There will be the usual workout of the Gym. Club this afternoon at 6.15 p.m. All members and those wishing to take part in advanced gym. work are requested to turn out. The election of officers will take place just after the practice.

INDOOR BASEBALL.

A match will be played between Law '21 and Law '23 on Friday, Nov. 26th, at 6 p.m., in the Montreal High School.

ECONOMICS CLUB.

A meeting of the Economics Club will be held at 8 p.m. to-day in the Smoking Room of the Arts Building. Mr. J. Jones will read a paper on "The Canadian Immigration Policy."

MEETINGS IN UNION.

Clubs are again reminded that all requests for reservations of rooms in the Union for dinners, smokers, etc., must be made to the Secretary of the Students' Council. In spite of recent warnings to this effect, much inconvenience is still being caused by neglect of observance of this rule.

ENGINEERING INSTITUTE.

To-morrow evening an address will be given to members of the Institute on the subject of "The Financial Aspects of Canadian Forest Resources." The place is 176 Mansfield and the time 8.15 p.m.

All students are invited, and will be welcome, whether they are members of the Institute or not.

MANDOLIN CLUB.

The engagement at Macdonald College has been postponed until Wednesday, Nov. 31st. The practice called for last night was not held, but there will be one on Tuesday, Nov. 30th, at 8 p.m. at Peate's studio.

PHYSICAL SOCIETY.

There will be a regular meeting of the Society to-morrow afternoon, the 26th inst., at 5 p.m. Dr. Ewe will speak on "Electric Currents in the Ocean, due to Tidal Movement." All interested are very cordially invited to attend.

GUELPH DELEGATES.

The election of a delegate to represent the Y.M.C.A. at the Guelph Convention in December will take place at the monthly meeting in

Strathcona Hall, Nov. 28th. The following men are nominated:
W. D. S. Jamieson
E. C. Amaron
L. P. Greau
H. H. Hart
Additional nominations will be received from any six members of the Y.M.C.A.

WATER POLO PRACTICE.

There will be a water polo practice this afternoon.

The Rt. Hon. Lord Congleton, Science '21, will give an illustrated talk on "Naval Experiences in the Pacific and the North Sea," in the Lecture Hall of the Erskine Church, to-night (Thursday), at 7.30 p.m. Music by Stanley Male Quartette. Students specially invited.

JUNIOR DANCE.

Several changes have been made in the programme for the Junior Prom. The following is the revised list:

- 1—Waltz.
- 2—Fox Trot.
- 3—One Step.
- 4—Fox Trot.
- 5—One Step.
- 6—Fox Trot.
- 7—Waltz (supper).
- 8—Waltz.
- 9—One Step.
- 10—Fox Trot.
- 11—Waltz.
- 12—Fox Trot.
- 13—One Step.
- 14—Waltz.

SNOWSHOERS.

Meeting of all snowshoers in the Union at 5.45 p.m. to-night. A constitution is to be drawn up and officers are to be elected for the ensuing year. Much important business is to be discussed—so make it a point to be present.
5.45 p.m.—Union—to-night.

FOUND.

Gentleman's Initialed ring at boxing practice, Tuesday, Nov. 16th. Owner can have same by seeing Racey, Sci. '24.

LOST.

A gold watch, chain and charm, with the seal of the U. of Penn. stamped on face. Finder please leave at "Daily" office.

LOST.

Fountain pen lost in Engineering Building, Tuesday 18th. Finder please return to Harry in Engineering Building.

LOST.

Taken from the cloak room of the University Library yesterday afternoon, a dark grey winter overcoat. Will the person concerned kindly return it to the hall porter at the Union as loss of same will seriously affect owner.

LOST.

In Chemistry Building, a winter overcoat. Finder please return to janitor.

Arts '23 men out for indoor baseball in Molson's Hall Saturday noon.

ECONOMICS CLUB MEETS TO-NIGHT

Interesting Subject—Invitation Extended to Commerce Students.

The Economics Club is holding its second meeting of the year at eight o'clock to-night in the Smoking-room of the Arts Building. The paper of the evening will be read by Mr. John Jones on "The Canadian Immigration Policy." This is a question which is under keen discussion at the present time throughout the Dominion, and should prove of great interest to all students of current affairs.

Practically everybody is more or less familiar with the subject owing to the recent discussions in the newspapers, and a great many have formed opinions of their own concerning it. This meeting furnishes a splendid opportunity to express those opinions in the open discussion following the paper. It also provides a first-hand knowledge of our immigration laws as they exist.

Mr. Jones is particularly well-qualified to deal with his subject, having been intimately connected for some time past with immigration in Canada.

Since the question has a direct bearing upon the work of Commerce students, it is felt that they can derive a great deal of benefit from the meeting, and a cordial invitation is extended to all Commerce men to attend. It should be noted that membership in the club is by no means limited to students in Arts, but is open to all undergraduates taking a course in Economics.

The attendance at the last meeting assures a prosperous season for the club, and it is evident that students of all years are taking an active interest in it. No limit is placed on the membership, and ample accommodation is provided at the meetings. As an added inducement, refreshments are served and smoking is in order. The time is 8 p.m.

METHODS OF ORNAMENTAL METAL WORK

Discussed By R. V. Clark at Architectural Society.

JAPS QUOTED.

Wrought Iron, Cast Work and Electro Deposit Work Treated in Detail.

Last evening the second meeting of the Architectural Society was held. Mr. R. V. Clark spoke very interestingly on Ornamental Metal Work in Architecture.

In metal work there are several distinct methods of working: wrought work in iron, the cast work, repousse work and electro deposit work.

In dealing with cast work, and in fact with all methods, the design is of primary importance. It is always advisable for the designer to work in conjunction with the practical advice and enthusiasm of the person who is to execute the work as an aid in the general points of construction.

Second in importance in cast work comes the pattern or model which, if a pattern is usually made of wood, and if a model, clay or wax, etc. A study of model and a close criticism is essential from the designer, as any error in the model is reproduced in the final article.

Next comes the plaster cast, which is retouched if there are any errors indicated by the designer in his final criticism. The plaster cast is then treated with shellac to prevent the sand of the mould from sticking. From this point the model is given into the hands of the craftsman.

In figure, an interior core is made to conform in general to the form of the figure. This is usually on a framework of iron. Around this heart core numerous cores are used to complete the figure and to give on the exterior an exact replica of the figure to be cast. Outlets are introduced to allow the air and gases from the interior to escape.

Here the core is set in the moulding box and the sand tamped tightly around it. The whole should be left in a drying room for at least forty-eight hours to allow the damp sand to dry completely. Molten metal introduced into a damp mould is fatal to the cast.

In small work, the Japanese method of using a wax model is the most successful to obtain a fine line result. The wax model is imbedded in sand, which is then heated, the wax as a consequence is melted, and the metal is then poured in.

Electro-deposit work is done by making a reverse model and putting it in a vat containing a solution of the metal required. A current is then passed through the solution and a metal model is obtained off the reverse form.

In finishing metals, the work is best left to Nature.

In wrought work there is no limitation to the character of the design.

Repousse work is not advisable for Architectural forms. In stamped work, reproductions are obtained by means of a die. The lecture was received with enthusiasm by the society, and a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Clark by the president. Refreshments were served as usual at the close of the lecture.

On December 5th the third lecture will be given by the Architectural Society at 8.20 p.m.

PRESBYTERIANS EASY VICTORS

Diocesans Decisively Beaten By Large Score of 32-5.

In the second game of the Theological Basketball League, which took place last evening at Molson Hall, the Presbyterians literally swamped the representatives of the Diocesan College by the score of 32-5. The winners set out right at the beginning to pile up a lead, and it was on only one or two occasions when the play seemed to favour their opponents. The Anglicans played hard and died gamely, fighting all the way, but were no match for their more experienced adversaries, who had the services at centre of Amaron, who scored no less than 19 of the 32 points made by his team. The losers showed a lack of practice, or at least of practical experience at the game, for on many occasions they seemed bewildered and hesitating as to where they should pass the ball.

From the results of the match it appears likely that the race for the championship will develop into a struggle between the Congregationals and the Presbyterians. The former decisively defeated the Wesleyans in their game with them, and should have no difficulty in disposing of the Diocesan team next week; while the Presbyterians are confident of performing the same operation on the Methodists. For the past few years the Congregationals have turned up

COSMOPOLITAN SUBJECT WILL BE DISCUSSED

"Lit" vs. Delta Sig. in Debate To-Night at the Union.

8.15 SHARP.

Other Debates of Interest to Be Held in the Future—Intercollegiate Fixture.

The "Lit" has three big fixtures on tap which are to be produced in the near future. Unlike near silk, ne'er beer, and other near things, there is nothing flat about these events. The "Lit" is right up-to-date, as the schedule will show. The three debates planned are: "Lit" vs. Delta Sigma, Macdonald vs. McGill, and Toronto vs. McGill. These will all be worth hearing, and a large attendance at each is expected.

The debate between the Delta Sigma Society and the "Lit" is an annual affair of long standing, and will prove no less interesting than those of former years. No matter how dry the subject, somehow the keen wit of the R.V.C. debaters, and the no less keen repartee of the "Lit" supporters make a most enjoyable evening of the debate.

But why talk about irrelevant subjects?—the subject is not dry; so no fears need be entertained on that score.

The subject chosen is: "Resolved, That Women Have Done More Towards the Progress of Civilization than Men." This subject has unknown possibilities. If you don't believe it, figure out a few points in your mind. Besides—a most novel and original idea—the men are to take the affirmative and the women the negative! They say that a debate is never so interesting as when the debaters are on the wrong side; so this should prove no exception.

Miss Hackett and Miss Holland will uphold the men's side of the argument, and Messrs. Reford and Lebeau the affirmative. Miss Hackett and Miss Holland are acknowledged by connoisseurs to be excellent speakers and clear, precise debaters, and if the "Lit" team were not composed of Reford and Lebeau, one might well fear for the affirmative.

Whichever side wins will certainly deserve it. The debate will be held to-night in the Gym Room at the Union, at 8.15 o'clock sharp. The judges have been wisely chosen, and Dr. MacMillan and Miss Syme will officiate in that capacity.

The second great fixture is to be held at Macdonald College. This debate will be on the Tariff, the exact wording of the subject to be made public later. It will be held on Saturday night next. The Short Course, it is rumored, will excel itself in its preparations for the rumble of McGill men who will travel to Mac. The "diamond ring" faculty are adepts at the art of giving good times to other people and will no doubt outshine themselves on this particular evening.

The third and most important feature of the year is the Intercollegiate Debate. The date has been set for December 3rd. This is far enough ahead for everybody but a "married" man to put a little red circle round that date on his calendar, and keep it open!

The subject will be: "Resolved, That Compulsory Military Training Ought to be Required in the Arts Faculties of all Canadian Universities." McGill will take the negative. Why the Arts Faculty should be singled out for this discussion is hard to foresee, but such is the subject, and it should be a very debatable one. The Toronto team is composed of Jack Stritford and Roseburgh. Jack Stritford was on the 'Varsity football team, and with his colleague should prove as redoubtable adversaries.

McGill has an excellent team also in R. Dillon, Law '21; and R. Perrault, Science '21, who will, without doubt, put up a strong defence on this important subject. Remember the date, then, December 3rd, and watch the "Daily" for the place—the date is the most important, however.

victors in the Basketball League, but this year they will indeed be forced to travel at a terrific rate if they wish to continue champions.

The game was played at a fast pace which was kept up all through the match, which was characterized by some extremely long and well judged passing. The play was very clean, only a few foul throws being awarded by the referee. For the Presbyterians, Amaron of course was the strong man, but all the rest played very well indeed and are deserving of mention. Cameron netted the only basket for the Diocesans, while Norman tallied three times in free throws. During the second period the Diocesans held a little better than during the first half, which ended 21 to 3.

The teams lined up as follows:—
Presbyterians. Position. Diocesans.
Hutton...R. Forward.....Norman
Avison...L. Forward.....Lemesurier
Amaron...Centre.....Cameron
McPhail...R. Defence.....Hatcher
Cousens...L. Defence.....Egg

R. V. C. NOTES

SWIMMING.
Please see important notices concerning fees, application blanks and the Beginners Class posted on the Athletic Board.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION.
All those girls who have signed up for swimming and all fourth year students who have not already been re-examined physically, are asked to watch the R. V. C. Athletic Notice Board for time of examination.

R. V. C. '22.
An important meeting of R. V. C. '22 will be held in Room 12, at 1 p.m. to-day.

An unusual opportunity is offered to students from out of town to get acquainted with city families. The Hospitality work was a popular feature of the "Y's" activities last year. Through it many fellows were able to chase away the blues and spend many enjoyable hours in city homes. For information on this scheme, ask Mr. McKay at the Hall, or inquire at Room "B" on Friday, between 4.30 and 6.



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SENIOR SQUAD PRACTICE IN HIGH SCHOOL

Held Very Good Basketball Practice Last Night.

SEVENTEEN MEN OUT.

All the Rugby Men Were Back and the Season's Prospects Are Good.

A very good work-out of the Senior Basketball squad was held last night in the High School Gymnasium. At six o'clock, seventeen men were on hand; and under the direction of Art Walsh the practice was soon under way. The squad commenced by practicing shooting and passing. A considerable time was also spent in dribbling, the importance of which was continually emphasized by the coach.

The squad was then divided into teams and several games were played. These games were very fast, the individual plays showing up remarkably well considering the earliness of the season. The passing was fast and the shooting was accurate, even from the most difficult angles. These games lasted till a quarter to seven, and the rest of the hour was spent in more shooting practice.

The Rugby men were all back on the job last night, and were in the best of condition. These men, by turning out so soon after the completion of the Rugby season, certainly show a fine type of college spirit, of which we could stand a good deal more.

Geoff Hay is getting back into condition again and is working hard at centre. Philpotts, Kemp and Caldwell all showed up very well. Fitzgerald, although recently hurt in Rugby, was also back on the job. "Bones" Little was there with lots of pep, showing up very well both in shooting and passing. Gambell, a new man, is trying for defence, and seems to be good.

AMERICAN CLUB TO HOLD DINNER

Thanksgiving Celebration Arranged For To-Night.

Thanksgiving! What memories that word wakes in the hearts of all Americans! Memories of dinners unequalled throughout the year except, perhaps, those of Christmas Day; memories of relatives or friends arriving to share in the festivities; and memories of many happy evenings spent dancing or sleigh riding or in some other equally enjoyable way, always with good cheer and a spirit of happiness. To really appreciate Thanksgiving Day, one must be an American or have joined in the celebration of the day at some American home.

Thanksgiving Day is here, and it finds the members of the American Club at McGill far from their homes and the celebration of the day. The day passes here much as any other day, and there comes to each American heart a spirit of loneliness and of longing—for every heart that leaps at the sound of "The Stars and Stripes, Forever," leaps, too, at the thought of Thanksgiving.

No substitute can just come up to the festivities being held at home to-day. But, as a second best, a substitute is offered. The Americans at McGill will gather at the Queen's Hotel to-night, bringing with them as much of Thanksgiving cheer as they can muster, and bound to have a good time together. They will wear only their "Sunday best" clothes, and they will remember that they are to celebrate and commemorate together, and that the only way to have a good time is to be a part of it.

Their friends of the committee have seen to it that the dinner provided will be of the best. None of Dr. Leacock's concentrated foods in tablet form, but real juicy turkey, straight from the rocky wilds of Old Missouri. These turkeys have come to be shown, and the Americans here are going to show them. The ice cream may not be from Philadelphia or yet Hartford, but it will at least be pure American cornstarch and free from typhoid bugs.

And now, listen! Dr. Oertel is going to be there to speak of the ill-effects of indulging in the foolish pastime of drinking water, and perhaps will explain why Brooklyn failed to walk away with the pennant this year. Dr. Porter, too, will be here to regale us with his good

WESTERNERS ONCE AGAIN TO THE FORE

Supper Held in Union Went With a Bang.

LARGE ATTENDANCE.

Banquet and Dance Looming in Near Future.

There was a typical Western atmosphere prevailing in the Union last evening. Long before six-thirty one could hear mention made of the vast, unlimited expanses of the prairie; of the wide and slowly moving Saskatchewan; of the impetuosity of the Bow, as it threads its way through the picturesque foothills; of the magnificence of the snow-capped Rockies; of the glory of the Pacific—all these remarks tend to show that the supper held under the auspices of the Western Club were truly representative of Canada's "Great West."

After a truly excellent repast, spread by the Union Cafeteria management, and after an equally praiseworthy programme provided by the Harmony Dance Orchestra, the meeting came to order at seven-thirty with Caldwell, the vice-president, in the chair. He almost immediately called upon the honorary president of the club, Dr. J. L. Todd, to address the gathering. Dr. Todd dwelt upon the great privilege that was common to all present—namely, to be able to claim the West—God's Country—as their home. He emphasized the fact that while Westerners come East with the primary purpose of acquiring knowledge, it is also in their power to impart to the Easterners something of the freedom, of the breeziness, of the disregard of convention usually associated with the West. The Western Club, in point of its origin and in point of its membership, should be the principal sectional club in McGill.

General Currie, our Principal, recognizes Victoria, B.C., as his home, and has expressed his willingness to attend the next meeting, although prevented from attending last night's function because of the Campaign Dinner being held at the same time. Men come to college nowadays with a greater ambition than merely to absorb what they hear in their lectures—we run more higher standards and broader viewpoints; the present undergraduate desires to be a factor in the government of his country, and the student from the West must realize that the only barrier separating our Northwest from the illiteracy of Central Europe is education—education embracing a knowledge of politics and of society. Dr. Todd concluded that the acquisition of this was most easily and profitably obtained by an active interest in student politics.

The chairman mentioned the unique position of McGill—it fits for citizenship men from the farthest Eastern and farthest Western points of Canada—from Newfoundland and from Vancouver Island. Caldwell's announcement of the banquet to be held in the New Year with General Currie present, was greeted with loud acclamation, as was also his intimation that the probable date of the proposed dance in conjunction with the Maritimers would be December seventeenth. A committee was elected to look after any business connected with this affair.

The resignation of R. S. O'Meara from the presidency was then read. After some discussion, it was moved and seconded that he be asked by the secretary to reconsider his decision. This motion was received with hoarse applause.

A letter was read from the Eastern Townships Club inviting the Western Club to send a representative to their dinner on December 8th. Parker was elected to fulfill this delightful office. The meeting throughout was characterized by an active concern in the proceedings. Much of the success of the evening is undoubtedly due to the lively music afforded by the Harmony Dance Orchestra and to the catering of the Cafeteria staff. But neither of these would have been sufficient without the efficiency of the executive in handling the entertainment.

humor, and it is hoped that Dr. Sullivan will be able to propound some of his theories to the assembly.

Many of the boys will speak, and one expects a good time.

Brush up on the first verse of "America" and "Alma Mater," dig up the true and tried old jokes; doll up, if need be, but come, anyway.

After dinner, due to the kindness of the American women here, those who are light-footed will journey up to the Windsor to dance and add to their good time.

Tickets are going rapidly, but if you have failed to get yours, come just the same. There's always room for one more at the table, and there'll be lots to eat. Every American is expected to be there, and all good Americans will be there; for, remember, on you individually depends the success of the whole affair. Each one who stays away detracts from the pleasure of the others.

WOMEN WILL PROPOSE TO STERNER SEX

Or At Least So Says the Cercle Francais.

MR. BARBEAU SPOKE.

Read Highly Entertaining Paper on Journalism and Made Startling Remarks.

A highly entertaining and exceedingly amusing debate on the original subject of "Should women make the initial advances in proposing marriage?" delighted an unusually large meeting of the Cercle Francais in the Union last night.

Dr. Leacock, who was to have been the speaker of the evening, did not appear, and as a result the debate was thrown into rather greater prominence than it might otherwise have occupied. Dr. Leacock was to have spoken in French.

The president of the Cercle, however, engineered the presence of Mr. Barbeau, editor of "Le Matin," and until quite recently a contributor to "La Presse" under the name of "Turque." Mr. Barbeau read a paper on Journalism, which presented rather novel aspects of the game in a highly illuminating and hardly frank manner. His remarks, which were doubtfully applauded by the members—very few of whom, by the way, know anything about journalism—were as follows:

Journalism in France is if anything more closely related to literature than it is here in Canada. In the former country, many, if not most, of the men who have to-day attained prominence politically or in the world of letters, have indulged to a certain extent in the somewhat vicarious delight of the newspaper game. It is a singular fact, however, that their journalistic efforts have not been as successful as their later and possibly more pleasant work. They have dabbled only in the profession; have written when they had something great to say; have not been slaves to the killing routine of writing columns upon utterly lifeless and colorless questions which are of interest to no one, and which are used merely as filler by the publications for which they work.

Newspaper work is splendid for a man of great resistance, because it matures and develops those it does not break. But the dull, monotonous grind of journalism, if it once gets a man settled at it, keeps him there and makes of him a machine, reflecting the opinion of those who employ him, writing and thinking as an automaton to please his readers, thinking collectively rather than individually. The strong man, with will-power and keen intelligence, however, is given clearness, flexibility, precision through this very routine, provided he does not remain long at it.

Journalism is to literature what the movies are to the legitimate stage. Newspaper articles are ephemeral,—here to-day, when a question is vital and burning, to-morrow forgotten. Moreover, newspaper "dope" is usually written hurriedly, in a minute, for a minute. Journalists build on wee incidents delicate and unending structures which last a bit and fade.

If a man wants freely and without let to express his own opinion, he must rustle for himself and build up a paper of his own. Otherwise he is throttled and condemned to echo and reflect the opinions and words of others. In the newspaper game, small men are not allowed to have big ideas. Many are attracted into journalistic work, thinking it is literary work. There can be no greater error.

Mr. Barbeau's remarks were followed by musical selections by Adney, Freedman, Massey and Coleman, who volunteered their services for the evening. Their kindness was much appreciated; especially as their performance was exquisite.

Then followed the debate. E. H. Walter and J. Molson sustained the affirmative, and M. Latton and D. Cowan upheld the negative.

Walter, in opening the debate, insisted that our present social system is leading directly to that state of affairs wherein for every five marriages there will be a divorce. This, he claimed, would be obliterated if women were to do the proposing. A busy man has no time to devote to the pursuit of women. Woman has been the cause of many good and true men being plowed in their exams; and subsequently getting themselves thrown out of college. If they had been able to rely on the women doing the chasing they would never have failed. Under our present system, spinsters have a terrible time, bachelors do not. The fair maidens have no hope once they pass a certain age. We have, incidentally, countless war-widows who, if they may not do their own proposing, are inevitably faced with disaster. As an example of

proposal by a woman resulting happily, the speaker cited the case of the late Queen Victoria.

Latton, arguing for the negative, insisted that if women were to do their own choosing, they would each pick five or six men, and the last state of society would be worse than its first. They would make men lose more time trying to keep away from them than the poor creatures lose now chasing them. In the good old days when wild men got tired of chasing bears, what did they chase, tearing through wild bushes? Women. And when they had caught them they beat them and dragged them off in triumph. Knights worked hard to win glory; certainly not for the mere pleasure of coming home from the wars to hear their fair damozels hiss, "Marry me!" Tradition spurs men doing the proposing. "L'homme propose et la femme dispose."

Molson, seconding Walter, maintained that compatibility of character is absolutely essential, to happy marriage, and that men are decidedly poor judges of character when compared to the wily and all-seeing weaker party who never misses a guess. If woman can pick her mate, she can be well trusted to keep him. Leap Year marriages are rarely failures. Women are bashful, and should not be made responsible for accepting a man when he has just proposed. In the first place, she always blushes when he puts the question, and when she blushes she gets rattled, and when she gets rattled she says "yes." She has no time to reflect. If she had time to choose her victim and go after him, she would never make a mistake. Most important of all to society, if we have to attract women negatively, we shall have to mend our manners, to be terribly polite, and society would be improved.

Cowan, closing the debate, claimed that a reversal of our social system would give its structure a dangerous jolt. All legislators know this. Human nature does not change, and it is human nature for man to yearn and fight for woman. In the case of dances, for instance, the men would have to wear the powder, eyebrow pencil and lip-stick, would have to be dragged home afterwards to their fond mamma's, to whisper their halting "good-night" at the door. What a happy prospect! There is a race in Algeria whose women propose. What has that race ever contributed to civilization, science, art and literature?

This deep and eloquent debate was followed by general discussion in which Drs. Walter and Villard and Prof. DuRoiure and Mr. Barbeau took part. We shall not reproduce their remarks: some of them are married men.

After excellent refreshments put up by Mr. Darvill of the Cafeteria, and further music by the volunteer orchestra, the judges returned their verdict. The affirmative had won.

The evening was brought to a close by the singing of "God Save the King," the "Marseillaise," "O Canada"—in both languages simultaneously; and the McGill yell.

ARTS I. DEFEATS 1ST YEAR SCIENCE

Interesting Game of Basketball—Another Important Fixture To-Night, 7.15.

Last evening in Molson's Hall another inter-class basketball game took place. This was between Arts I. and Science I. The game was very hard and close and the result was always in doubt. The final score stood 22 for Arts I. and 17 for Science I.

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Prosperous industries and prosperous workers make prosperous communities. Canadians should give effective preference to Canadian goods over imported products. If the Canadian public will patronize Canadian industries as a national duty under present difficult conditions the dangers of the price readjustment period will be reduced to a minimum and the increased demand for Canadian-made products will enable Canadian factories to produce at minimum unit cost and sell at the lowest possible prices.

Industries abroad with resources far greater than those of most manufacturing establishments in Canada are looking to the Dominion to absorb their surplus production. Meanwhile, Canadian industries are debarrred from many markets abroad by high protection duties. If a substantial part of the limited Canadian market is secured by outside industries, the reduced demand for Canadian-made products must result in higher unit production costs, lower output, and reduced employment in many Canadian factories. Adequate tariff protection is vital for Canadian industries employing Canadian labor.

Exchange increases prices. It raises the cost of manufacturing in Canada and adds to the difficulties of industrial employment for Canadian workers. Coal, cotton, iron and steel products, and oil, enter largely into the cost of production of most commodities and services. In buying such commodities from the United States, Canadians have to pay a substantial premium on account of the decline of Canadian money. Each purchase encourages higher prices and a higher exchange rate.

Exchange is three times as high as it was a year ago. Early last February the premium on New York funds amounted to 17 1/2 per cent. It threatens to go still higher this winter and next spring unless effective remedies be applied. Those remedies, if applied at all, must be applied consciously and as a matter of both national duty and self-interest by the people of Canada whenever they spend money. The merchandise trade balance is running against us to the amount of between \$20,000,000 and \$30,000,000 per month. If we include interest on obligations abroad and other items in the account, Canada has an adverse balance of trade which at the present time is running at the rate of more than \$400,000,000 per year.

The discount on Canadian money is a warning that our trade situation is unhealthy and overbalanced. The great volume of imports into Canada, if it continues, means unemployment for Canadian workers, idle Canadian factories, and a higher cost of living for Canadians generally. World conditions make impossible any large, immediate expansion of our export trade. The only way any permanent correction can be effected in exchange is by reducing imports into this country by supplying demand with Canadian products instead of imported goods. A national Made-in-Canada campaign is needed to combat high prices, to reduce exchange, and to ensure employment. These needs can be accomplished if:

- 1—Individuals, business interests, and municipal and legislative bodies give effective preference in their purchases to Made-in-Canada goods.
- 2—Adequate tariff protection is retained to ensure a large proportion of Canadian buying demand for Canadian products, thus encouraging quantity production and establishing low unit costs.
- 3—Employers and employees co-

operate to supply the Canadian public with Canadian-made goods of the best quality at the lowest prices at which they can be economically produced.

The Canadian Council of Agriculture in its official platform proposes that direct taxation should be imposed:

(a) By a direct tax on unimproved land values, including all natural resources. Western Grain Growers' who claim that Canada should be collecting \$200,000,000 annually by income taxation must realize that under the New Zealand system on which they appear to base their arguments this country would have to collect an annual land tax of more than \$53,000,000 and that as in New Zealand and Australia the larger part of such a levy would have to be assessed against farm lands. Such land tax would mean on the average a direct Federal levy of more than 30 cents per acre, for every acre of farm lands, or a tax of between \$40 and \$50 per year on every farm in Canada, in addition to all taxes already paid. If capitalized, the tax would reduce the value of the average farm by from \$500 to \$1,000. On the larger farms the tax would, of course, be much larger than the average for all Canada.

(b) By a graduated personal income tax. A levy of this kind already is being collected by the Dominion Government under the Income War Tax Act 1917, with rates which are higher than those in the United States and which the Council of Agriculture admits cannot be wisely increased.

(c) By a graduated inheritance tax on large estates. All the Canadian Provinces already are collecting heavy succession duties or inheritance taxes and enforcement by the Federal authorities upon this revenue source, as well as upon the income tax field, would be opposed and resisted by the Provincial Administrations. Moreover, the consequences of taxing inheritances at higher rates than those in force in other countries and, particularly, in the United States must be considered, especially at a time when Canada needs new capital to assist in its development. Again, experience in Great Britain and elsewhere has been that to an increasing extent insurance is taken out to protect estates against succession duties and that the inheritance tax tends to become, in effect, an additional income tax.

(d) By a graduated income tax on the profits of corporations. Such a tax is being collected under the Income War Tax Act and the Business Profits War Tax Act, with rates higher than those in the United States.

It will be seen that the only new taxes proposed by the Council are the inheritance tax, which already is levied by the Provinces, and a Federal Land Tax, the larger part of which would have to be borne by the agriculturists.

The Canadian Council of Agriculture declares that a substantial saving in the cost of collecting revenue would result from substitution of direct taxation for the present fiscal policy. The cost of collection of Canadian customs revenue was 2.51 per cent. in 1917-18 and 3.13 per cent. in 1918-19. The cost of collecting the British Income tax in 1918-19 was close to \$15,000,000, or approximately 1 per cent. The tax on incomes under £250 costs no less than 7 1/2 per cent. to assess and collect. The British Income tax is administered by thousands of officials in a great organization developed by several generations of experience. If that experience teaches anything, it is that income tax administration means a large and expensive organization and, even with such organization and a century's experience, it is officially admitted that £60,000,000 annually is lost through evasion, while Sir Leo Chiozza Money estimates that evasion of Income Tax (and super-tax) keeps as much as £100,000,000 from the Treasury annually. With administrative problems far more difficult than those in the United Kingdom, with a tremendous area and sparse population to cover, and with a much smaller revenue to be collected here, Canada's income tax expenses under a thorough system cannot be expected to be much under 3 per cent. Moreover, it must be recognized that a collection of \$200,000,000 by direct taxation of incomes would not make possible the entire abandonment of tariff revenue. But even if this country went on a free-trade basis, customs organization still would have to be maintained practically in its entirety. No doubt some reduction in staff would result, but the saving would be much smaller than the Canadian Council of Agriculture appears to contemplate.

Then, too, if income taxation were elevated to the foremost place in the Canadian revenue system, there is reason to believe that it would prove disappointing to those who look to direct taxation to correct injustices in the present system and provide an ideal revenue source. Wherever the income tax has been employed it has been accompanied by evils at least as flagrant as those found under almost any other revenue system. The income tax has been in force in the United Kingdom, except for periods, from 1773, and yet in 1905 Mr. Stoddley, one of the Secretaries of the Board of Inland Revenue, admitted that the Department was in possession of evidence, "showing that grossly insufficient returns, or no returns

COMMERCE '22 IS BANQUETED AT BLUE BIRD

Freshmen Entertain Sophomores at Annual Dinner.

NOVEL IDEA.

Dinner Most Successful Ever Held—Order Commendable.

On Tuesday evening, the day before yesterday, the freshmen of the Department of Commerce were the hosts of the Second Year at the annual banquet. This was the first of the Faculty banquets of this year, and was an unqualified success. The Commerce freshmen broke away from the usual practice of holding such dinners in one of the hotels in the city by staging theirs at the Blue Bird, the new cabaret on Bleury Street.

This innovation proved a complete success. All those present, about one hundred and thirty, had a good dinner and a merry time. This was due to the fact of there being no formality, no long-winded speeches, and just enough Old Scotch to make everyone feel good and happy and so far forget for a while that there were such things as examinations in French and mathematics.

Bert Tremaine, president of first year Commerce, presided. Amongst the guests were Dean Harkness, Mr. Sugars and Professor Villard.

The toasts were "The King," "Alma Mater," "The Faculty," "The Sophomores," and "The Ladies." Dean Harkness, in proposing the second toast, said that he hoped there would always be a real entente cordiale between Commerce and Arts, even when the former were a separate faculty. Mr. Sugars, replying to the toast to the Faculty, said that in all probability Commerce would become before long a faculty by itself, and one of the most prominent and progressive faculties in the University. Professor Villard was his usual priceless self in replying to the toast to the ladies, and that is saying enough.

During the course of dinner the guests were entertained by jazz music, rendered by the Blue Bird orchestra, and some hot-stuff dancing and singing by girls of the chorus. Bubbles, whose duties range from cloakroom attendant to selling smokes, was the cause of much hilarity on the side, and she deserves honorable mention for her magnificent defence of the cloakroom during what almost developed into an attack in unassisted formation when everyone tried to get their coats and hats at once. After the conclusion of the festivities, there was a general movement eastward along the great walk in search of further diversions—a quest which was moderately successful.

Altogether, the evening went off without a single hitch, and everyone had a royal time. The members of First Year Commerce, the executive especially, must be congratulated on breaking away so completely from convention and pulling off one of the best shows of its kind that has ever been held around McGill.

at all, were made over long periods of years with impunity, the probability of detection being slight, until some event occurred to bring the facts to light, such as the death of the taxpayer, the conversion of a private business into a limited company, or a claim being made for compensation for disturbances based on the profits." The minutes of evidence before the British Royal Commission on the Income Tax, 1919, are replete with grievances of inequitable incidence. Salaried workers complain that they suffer by reason of evasion of the tax by those who are better able to escape their rightful contribution. Industrial interests protest that the agriculturists are not taxed in proportion to their ability to pay. There has been widespread dissatisfaction that large numbers of artisans, earning good incomes, pay no tax. The fact that foreign producers, paying no income tax to the British Government, are able under the present fiscal policy of the United Kingdom to profit by the British market, in competition with British producers who are taxed upon their entire earnings, has caused much irritation. Direct taxation in Great Britain—and there it has found its highest development—is far from free of anomalies and imperfections. After reading the evidence before the Royal Commission one may well question from considerations alone of the efficiency in revenue collection, approximate equity in distribution of the burden of taxation, and the mildness of incidence (especially in view of the fact that in many cases import customs duties are absorbed wholly or in part by the exporter) whether the customs tariff is not preferable to the income tax as a means of collecting a large part of the national revenue.

MCGILL WINS FROM VERDUN IN POLO GAME

Keenly Fought Game Ends in Victory For McGill.

FINAL SCORE: 10-1.

Many Supporters of McGill Were Present.

The McGill team proved themselves superior to the Verdun team in a hard-fought game at the Central "Y" tank last night. The play was even in the first quarter of the game, McGill succeeding in scoring the first goal just before the first quarter. Towards the end of the second quarter the Verdunites began to lag and McGill scored four more by means of well-placed and fast shots.

In the second half Verdun returned to the battle with renewed vigor and soon scored their first and only goal by a brilliant long shot that completely beat the McGill goalkeeper. The combination was excellent and nearly every pass was executed with precision. None of the players showed any marked superiority over his fellows.

The final scores were 10 to 1 in favor of McGill. The McGill team scoring the last five goals in quick succession at the close of the game. The gallery was nearly full with spectators, the majority of whom were supporters of McGill.

The McGill line-up was:

Goal. G. McKindsey.

Defense. N. Owens. D. Foss.

Forwards. M. Bruker. R. S. Wade. L. Winter.

ARTS FRESHMAN-SOPH. BANQUET

At Queen's Hotel, Friday 26th, 8 p.m.

All final preparations have been made for the long-expected Arts Freshman-Sophomore Banquet which will be held at the Queen's Hotel, on Friday, the 26th, at 8.00 sharp, and from the work which the executive of the Freshman class have been putting into the event we may judge that it will prove an unqualified success in every sense of the word. At this affair the first year men are extremely anxious to introduce an innovation, for a McGill event, and that is punctuality. As there has been some criticisms lately regarding the lateness with which most of the college activities begin, they wish to have the honor of being the first to start a new order of things around the college and it is up to all those who intend being present to see that they are successful in their endeavor.

They do not intend to weary themselves and their guests with many speeches, and as a result the toasts are limited to four: "The King," "McGill," "The Professors," and "The Sophomores." All those who have been asked to propose and respond to toasts are well able to carry out their tasks in a way that makes the listeners wish that they had spoken just a little longer, which is certainly an effect desired by both the speakers and their audience.

The Sophomores have been looking forward to the dinner with great expectation for some time as they can remember what a jolly evening they had at a similar banquet last year. If rumor is true a most exceptional menu has been agreed upon, one which causes a smile to wreath the face of every second year man whenever he thinks of the prospect in view.

Like last year's banquet the dinner will be dry, that is there are no drinks served with the meal. It has not yet been discovered whether the Freshmen will mind anyone either ordering his own or bringing it with him, but probably when it comes to the final show-down those desirous of a taste of the "old craythur" will not bother to ask the executive's permission.

As guests of the Freshmen, Dr. Harkness, Dr. Walter, Dr. McMillan and Prof. Matthews will undoubtedly add to the enjoyment of the evening by contributing their good comradeship and store of ready wit.

FRESHMAN REPORTER'S TWENTY-THIRD PSALM.

Reporting is my profession; I shall always want. It maketh me to hike all over the campus; it leadeth me into rough waters. It resteth not my soul; it leadeth me into paths of inquiry for the other fellow's sake. Yea though I walk my legs off and hand in lots of dope, it never gets within even the shadow of print. My stories and articles never comfort me. I write my stuff on a typewriter in

COMMISSION TO ADDRESS MED. CLINIC

Veneral Diseases Commission Will Hold Meeting

FRIDAY NIGHT AT 8.30

At New Medical Assembly Hall—Speakers: Doctors Desloges and Patch.

The attention of Clinical Teachers and Senior Students in the Faculty of Medicine is directed to a meeting with the Commission for Combating Venereal Disease, which will be held in the Assembly Room of the New Medical Building to-morrow evening at 8.30 p.m. The Commission is well known to all those who take an interest in the health conditions of the city, and although it does its work quietly and without publicity, it has been a power for good in the city. In pursuance of its progressive ideas, it desires to get in touch with the Faculty, and senior undergraduates of Medicine, from whom it hopes for help and co-operation. This can easily be procured by laying before them the methods of the Commission and the results already obtained.

Statistics have shown that diseases of this kind are very prevalent in all big cities, and Montreal is no exception to the rule. It was in order to lessen the ravages of disease that this Commission was formed, and it is a subject upon which all doctors and embryo doctors should be well informed.

The meeting will be addressed by the Director of the Commission, Dr. Desloges, and by Dr. Patch, who has charge of the Clinic in the Montreal General Hospital, and the addresses will be illustrated by moving pictures. Dean Birkett, of the Medical Faculty, will preside, and all clinical teachers and senior students are cordially invited to be present.

EXCITING GAMES OF BASKETBALL

R. V. C. Juniors and Sophomores Victorious.

The inter-class basketball games at Molson Hall yesterday afternoon were exciting and keenly contested. The first teams played their matches first. In the game between the Juniors and Freshies both teams played well with good team work. Miss M. Fry, Miss E. Snyder and Miss Ted Rough showed excellent combination on the Junior team and on the Freshie team Miss M. McWaters proved an able guard while Miss A. Lamb and Miss Herzberg averted danger several times. At the end of the first half the score was 12-4 in favor of the Juniors. In the second half a brilliant shot by Miss P. Murray brought up the score of the Freshies. On the Junior team Miss Ted Rough proved a very reliable forward. The Freshies throughout the game showed a marked improvement in every way. The final score was 21-7 in favor of the Juniors.

In the first half of the game between the Seniors and the Sophs the second year team fouled continually but the shooting on the Senior team was weak and no score was made on the free shots. At half time the score was 21-10 for the Sophs. In the second half the Seniors rallied well and put up a splendid fight. Though the play at times was wild both teams played an excellent game with rapid team work. The Sophs won, the score being 27-23. This game was the most exciting of the afternoon.

In the games played by the second teams the Freshies again showed decided improvement, defeating the Junior second team 11-9.

In a strenuous game the Sophs' second team was defeated by the Partials 20-2. This game was marked by the very pretty shots of the Partial forwards.

The line-up for the first teams was as follows:

IV. YEAR. II. YEAR.
D. Campbell...Forward... M. Leggett
K. Cameron... " " Z. Slack
J. Spler...Centre... D. Russell
E. Cox... " " M. Pick
K. Gillespie...Defense... E. Slakman
H. Higginson " " A. Roy

III. YEAR. I. YEAR.
T. Rough...Forward... P. Murray
F. Brown... " " E. Petrie
E. Snyder...Centre... A. Lamb
M. Fry... " " E. Herzberg
J. Henderson...Defense... M. Cameron
K. Newnam " " M. McWaters

the presence of others. They cover me with confusion; My cup of misery sloppeth over. Surely to goodness, this won't follow me all the days of my life, or I shall dwell in the bughouse forever. —Noha.

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